

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: PATENT APPLICATION of:

Inventor(s): Dinh Quoc Nguyen

Appln. No.: 10/ 676531

Group Art Unit 2815

Examiner: Fenty, Jesse A.

Atty. Dkt. No. 100-23201

P05700-C1

Series Code ↑

Serial No. 676531

Client Ref

Filed: September 30, 2003

Title: Bi-Directional Silicon Controlled Rectifier Structure
With High Holding Voltage For Latchup Prevention

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P.O. Box 1450

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Date:

November 15, 2004

Sir:

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER RULE 114

Please continue the examination of this application.

PREREQUISITES

This application was filed on/after June 8, 1995, is not abandoned, and no court action has been filed, or if filed, it has been terminated.

An issue fee **has not been** paid (unless a petition under Rule 313(c)(2) is also being filed -- see item 4 below).

Prosecution has been closed as defined in Rule 114(b).

Reply to any outstanding action and Rule 17(e) filing fee must be enclosed

This application is entitled under Rule 114 to withdrawal of any outstanding finality or of any allowance plus a new action by the Examiner. Consideration on the merits of each submission (e.g., IDS, Amendment, new arguments, new evidence, but not appeal/reply briefs themselves) filed herewith is respectfully requested.

Please consider the following before the next Official Action:

1. Please ☒ enter ☐ do not enter the Amendment filed
2. ☒ The enclosed Amendment.
3. ☐ Consider the arguments in the appeal brief filed ___ and reply brief filed
4. ☐ The issue fee has been paid, but this RCE is based on Rule 313(c)(2). See enclosed petition.
5. ☐ The enclosed Information Disclosure Statement.
6. ☒ The Enclosed Non-Publish Request.
7. ☐ Please suspend action under Rule 103(c) for a period of ___ months (3 mos. Max) for which the required \$130 fee is enclosed
8. ☒ A check in the amount of \$966 is enclosed of which \$790 is the required RCE filing fee and \$176 for two extra independent claims. (Postcard, fee transmittal (with copy) are also attached.)

(Our Deposit Account No. 502305)

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This CHARGE STATEMENT **does not authorize** charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT \$966

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 502305

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:

☒ Check ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

LARGE ENTITY		SMALL ENTITY		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1001	790	2001	395	Utility	
1002	350	2002	175	Design	
1003	550	2003	275	Plant	
1004	790	2004	395	Reissue	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional	
SUBTOTAL (1)					0

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	23 - 25 **	= 0	x 18	= \$ 0
Independent	8 - 6	= 2	x 88	= \$ 176
Multiple Dep.			*	= \$ 0

** or number previously paid, if greater; for Reissues, see below:

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
1202	18	2202	9	Claim in excess of 20
1201	88	2201	44	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	300	2203	150	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	88	2204	44	** Reissue ind. claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) \$176

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. Additional Fees

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee	Fee Code	Fee	
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification
1812	2520	1812	2520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
1804	920	1804	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
1805	1840	1805	1840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month
1252	430	2252	215	Extension for reply within second month
1253	980	2253	490	Extension for reply within third month
1254	1530	2254	765	Extension for reply within fourth month
1255	2080	2255	1040	Extension for reply within fifth month
1401	340	2401	170	Notice of Appeal
1402	340	2402	170	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403	300	2403	150	Request for oral hearing
1451	1510	1451	1510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive-unavoidable
1453	1370	2453	685	Petition to revive-unintentional
1501	1370	2501	685	Utility issue fee (or reissue)
1502	490	2502	245	Design issue fee
1503	660	2503	330	Plant issue fee
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))
1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) \$790

Date:

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